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MONDAY, the 24th inst., at NOON, and on

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THE NEXT MEETING of the MEMBERS of the above will be held at the

MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL, THE EVENING, at 9.30 P.M., the subject for discussion

being the Debate on the "China-Japan War,"

"Short Foreign Powers Interference,"

H. E. Mr. WILLIAM ROBINSON,
R.C.M.G., will preside.

SIDNEY JEFFREY,
Hon. Secretary,

Hongkong, 21st September, 1894.

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The Company's Steamship

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HONGKONG, Saturday, 21st, 1891.

The most important point dealt with in the Retrenchment Committee's report, apart from the general question of expenditure, is the proposed amalgamation of the offices of Colonial Secretary and Registrar-General. The amalgamation was recommended by Sir G. T. M. O'Brien, but the evidence of that official appears to us absolutely fatal to the proposal. It may be advisable to abolish the office of Registrar-General altogether, but it is certainly not advisable to incorporate it with the office of Colonial Secretary. In so far as it is an office to attend to Chinese business, one favours its retention as an entirely separate department, and the fourth advises that one officer should be head of the two departments. It will be seen, therefore, that the balance of opinion is adverse to amalgamation, and it is to be hoped this view will prevail.

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The attention of members of the Jockey Club interested in subscription gifts is directed to our advertisement in the columns calling a meeting to discuss telegrams and letters received from Shanghai.

The Japanese Mail states that the Shabato (formerly the Moyens) arrived at Yokohama on the 7th inst. from Cardiff direct, having come through the Straits of Sunda to escape capture.

It was known that the Chinese had taken her.

She was brought out from Cardiff 31 days and steamed 3,500 miles right off, her engine never being used.

The Company and the Captain are to be congratulated on the safe arrival of so valuable a ship as this, the latest addition to the fleet owned by the Nippon K. K.

She was brought out by Captain Mathews.

At a place called Hainan in the neighbour-hood of Amoy, says the *Amoy Times*, the magistrate not long ago issued an order commanding the robbers to hold a meeting as to what should be done to release the robbers. Kerosene oil was procured, and during the night was poured on to the woodwork of the magistracy, which was situated next to the jail. Having ignited the kerosene, a blue sprang up in the air, and everybody called out to help to put out the fire, and the robbers, with other prisoners, including two women made their escape.

The magistrate is a nice sir, and orders have been given by the higher authorities that four days are allowed to re-arrest the escaped prisoners.

In the Colonial Secretary's office there are four days allowed to re-arrest the escaped prisoners.

The C. P. steamer *Minerva* has left Vancouver for Hongkong on the 18th inst.

Wheeler need not be told of the importance of the Chinese News, a daily paper published at New York, edited by Chinese journalists and illustrated with Chinese military and naval pictures.

Mr. E. T. C. Werner, British Vice Consul at Macao, writes to the Acting Colonial Secretary, stating that by a proclamation issued by the Governor of Macao and published in the *Official* of the 15th inst., quarantine and vessels arriving at Macao from Macao and Canton has been abolished.

It is estimated, says the *Koko Chronicle*, that the quarantine station of Macao is receiving May until the 8th inst., has cost £30,000. A similar amount has probably been expended at the port of Macao, and the amount is estimated at £10,000.

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ignorant they knew not what it meant." But what one wants to know is who they got to marry them at Colm. Had the girl's mother up her sleeve for the ceremony? The couple were separated immediately after these preliminary miseries, and a good deal obviously depended on how the boy got on in life and how the bride behaved. One girl frankly asks for relief on the ground that she never did fancy or love the man George, because the said George had lost his living, and she had no such misfortune. On the other hand, the girl must be bound and dedicated to the Bishop, that his bride "doubtless" married with him. Besides, "loving other boys as well as him," both these plus, it will be admitted, were reasonable enough. Whether they were held good in law is not said. The Bishop's Court, like other Courts, had a broad principle, and a lenient one. As a rule the girls' parents would get off scot-free, but that of course, since of them could by no means be held guilty of "dwelling together, kissing, giving of tokens, or treating one another as man and wife." For exceptional cases it had been ruled that the infants' rights to contend should be of the first importance, and so far as I can see, as yet, no such accomplished the full age of seven years, yet that the ordinary understanding fully supplies the defect of age? The marriage must stand. The case of the two amply would have been a criminal offence if the boy had been under seven. It was one more than in the previous cases, the Hall of Man and the Siege of Troy. Was the boy's understanding ordinary or super-ordinary?

TIMES OF INDIA.

SHEMING REPORTS.
The German steamer *Tielfer*, from Novochwang and Chefoo 13th Sept., had light to moderate winds until the 17th. From Turnbull strong N.E. winds and high seas, with fine weather. From *Tielfer* to Amoy and Swatow. From Swatow to past moderate S.E. winds and heavy swells with cloudy weather. From *Tielfer* to Hongkong moderate S.E. breeze and cloudy weather. From Hongkong to *Tielfer* with fine and heavy S.E. breeze. Steamer in *Tielfer*—*Bjorg*, *Aurum*, *Wunder*, *Zafiro*. In *Tielfer*—*Poohi*, *Darawang*, *Pekin*, and *Pokhien*.

The British steamer *Nomad*, from Foochow 16th Sept., Amoy 17th, and Swatow 18th had strong N.E. winds and high seas, with fine weather. From *Nomad* to Amoy and Swatow. From Swatow to past moderate S.E. winds and heavy swells with cloudy weather. From *Nomad* to Hongkong moderate S.E. breeze and cloudy weather. From Hongkong to *Nomad* with fine and heavy S.E. breeze. Steamer in *Nomad*—*Bjorg*, *Aurum*, *Wunder*, *Zafiro*. In *Nomad*—*Poohi*, *Darawang*, *Pekin*, and *Pokhien*.

The British steamer *Formosa*, from Tamsui 18th Sept., Amoy 15th, and Swatow 19th, had moderate N.E. breeze and cloudy weather with smooth seas from Tamsui to Amoy. From Amoy to Swatow moderate N.E. breeze and cloudy weather. From Swatow to Hongkong moderate S.E. breeze and cloudy weather. From Hongkong to *Formosa* with fine and heavy S.E. breeze. Steamer in *Formosa*—*Bjorg*, *Aurum*, *Wunder*, *Zafiro*. In *Formosa*—*Poohi*, *Darawang*, *Pekin*, and *Pokhien*.

FOOCHOW SHIPPING.
Sept. 16—*EMPEROR*, British str., for London.
17—*Louis*, British str., for Hongkong.
18—*Doris*, German str., from Amoy.
19—*Macduff*, British str., from Shanghai.
20—*Trocas*, British str., from Yokohama.
21—*Nomad*, British str., from Hongkong.
22—*Foockang*, British str., from Shanghai.
23—*Japan*, British str., from Shanghai.
24—*Amoy*, British str., from London.
25—*Chingay*, British str., for London.
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HONGKONG TIMETABLE.
Sept. 16—*TO THE EAST*, 1894.

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From the First July.
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THE whole Suite of OFFICES on the 1st
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Company's Premises at Ice House Lane.
Apply to the

MANAGER.
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ROOMED HOUSE.
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EAST.
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Hongkong, 5th April, 1893. [128]

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Rooms.
For Particulars, apply to
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TO LET.

PEDDER'S STREET, No. 2, next to the
Post Office.
THE HOUSE at QUEEN'S ROAD
CENTRAL, NO. 72.
No. 6 WEST TERRACE.
Apply to G. C. ANDERSON,
18, Praya Central.
Hongkong, 25th August, 1894. [125]

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES No. 6, UPPER
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MOSS STREET, Gas and Water laid on.
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OFFICES and ROOMS at CONNAUGHT
HOUSE.
G DWNS in WANCHAI, at the Back of
MAGNIFICENT GARAGE.
MESSRS. MACLEON WILLAS, PEAK.
Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO.,
Hongkong, 14th September, 1894. [141]

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES—
"HIGHGATE" at MAGAZINE GAP,
No. 1, EAST TERRACE,
No. 8, OLD BAILEY,
No. 9, CHANCERY LANE,
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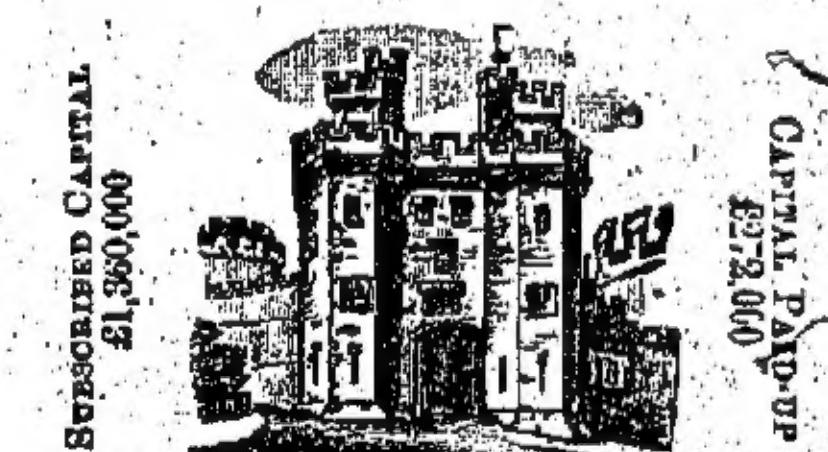
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